

Claim # 205 - Morris Kornell

Claim No. 205.

Under Article 4, Treaty of 14<sup>th</sup> June 1866,  
with Creek Indians.

The undersigned, Morris Kornell, aged 60, a loyal Freedman of the Creek Nation, being duly sworn and examined, deposes and says: ~~that~~ I was living on his place on Deep Fork, Creek Nation in September 1861, and was compelled to abandon the same in consequence of the war of the Rebellion. that he went out of the Country with other refugees under the leadership of the loyal Chief Appoth. Leo-hola, and reached Kansas, when he enlisted as a soldier in the 79<sup>th</sup> Regiment U.S. Colored Troops, and served as such until regularly discharged. This deponent further says: At the time he fled his home as aforesaid, he owned and possessed necessarily abandoned and lost all the property hereinafter named, and never afterward recovered the same or any part thereof.

To day:

2 Hh horses, \$90. 3 Cows \$45. 20 Hogs \$60	\$ 195.00
House and kitchen furniture &c	10.00
making a total value of	\$ 205.00
two hundred and five dollars	

Further this deponent saith not his  
Morris Kornell, <sup>Mark</sup>

Subscribed and sworn to before me, at the Creek

Agency, on this 15<sup>th</sup> of November A.D. 1869

P. J. McAllister  
H. B. O. H. McAllister Depd Affes  
Southern Dauplcy.

The undersigned, Tom Bruner & Ned Kennell  
(not related to claimant) loyal refugees, Freedmen of  
the Creek Nation, being duly sworn and examined, do  
jointly, depose and say: They are not interested in the  
Claim of the above Morris Kennell, in any pecuniary  
manner whatever; that they have heard the foregoing  
Affidavit read to them, and know its contents to be  
true and correct in every particular, and that the  
said Claimant, at the time of his flight from home,  
did own and possess, and did necessarily abandon  
and lose all the property set forth in his deposition.

Further these deponents do not say: —

Tom Bruner,

Ned Kennell

his

mark

his mark

Subscribed & sworn to before me, at the Creek  
Agency, on this 15<sup>th</sup> of November A.D. 1869

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### Awards

The loss of property specified above is deemed established by the foregoing testimony. - Also, the status of claimant. The amount claimed, however, is in some instances, considered excessive. Upon inquiry, it is found, the values of the different kind of property, at the time the loss occurred, ruled as follows:-

Horses:-	\$20.00 each.
Cows:-	8.00
Hogs:-	2.00

and for the following one-half the claimed value:-  
House & Kitchen Furniture etc. \$5.00

In consideration of these, and all other facts attainable, bearing upon the case, we believe it just and equitable to award this claimant - Morris Kornell One hundred and nine dollars  
\$109  $\frac{00}{100}$ .

*M. B. Hagen*  
Brigadier General U. S. Army.  
Supt. Indian Affairs, Southern Superintendency

*F. A. Field*  
Captain U. S. Army  
Broker Agent.